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SUBJ: RHODESIA: INTERNAL TALKS STILL HELD UP

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1. PRESS ACCOUNTS STATE THAT BISHOP MUZOREWA HAS GONE BACK TO HIS ORIGINAL POSITION THAT THE WHITE REPRESENTATIVES IN PARLIAMENT MUST BE ELECTED BY A COMMON ROLE. AT THE TALKS SESSION OF FEBRUARY 1, MUZOREWA REPORTEDLY STATED THAT 28 GUARANTEED SEATS WOULD BE TOO MANY IF NOT ELECTED BY A COMMON ROLE. HE ALSO REITERATED HIS POSITION THAT HE WOULD ACCEPT THE LOWER FIGURE OF 20 WHITE GUARANTEED SEATS ELECTED BY SEPARATE ROLES. PRESS ACCOUNTS STATE UNCLASSIFIED

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THAT THE OTHER DELEGATION LEADERS, SMITH, SITHOLE, AND CHIRAU, TRIED TO TALK MUZOREWA OUT OF THIS POSITION.

2. ACCOUNTS OF THE MEETING SAY NOTHING ABOUT RESOLUTION OF THE ISSUE THAT WAS BEFORE THE CONFERENCE PRIOR TO MUZOREWA'S WALKOUT, I.E. THE TIME LIMIT ON

THE GUARANTEED WHITE SEATS.
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